

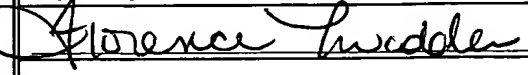


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Applicant hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated July 21, 2004 of the Examiner rejecting the remaining claims of the application above. Claims 1-2, 5-11 and 13-14 had been rejected previously (prior to amendment) based on different grounds and claims 15-18 were rejected for the first time in the action dated July 21, 2004. Enclosed is a credit card charge form for a notice of appeal fee and for an appeal brief fee, for a total charge of \$660.00 (for a large entity).

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